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Applicant: Heather L. Davis et al.
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VECTOR AND VACCINE FOR IMMUNIZATION AGAINST
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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT AND
SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT**

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the non-compliant amendment dated June 1, 2007, and to the Office Action dated October 23, 2006, Applicants have made a change only to the section entitled "Double Patenting Rejection" from the version of the Response filed February 23, 2007. Please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.